

TIMON'S MINISTRIES

Newsletter

FROM THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

Well, God has seen us through the first two months of 2001, affirming that He is still directing and blessing this ministry. At our February Board meeting, we welcomed our new members. They are: Harold Dissinger, Marlys Gonzalez, Jimmy Johnston, Ingrid Kyle, David Owen, Gerald Swift, and Nina Young.

We have received our building permit, and construction on the kitchen should begin in the next few days. We still need your strong support toward our Capital Campaign Fund. Timon's Ministries is now listed as a "5-Star Advance Special" in our Southwest Texas Conference. This will result in additional funds to support our efforts. We are making plans now for a Timon's Fund Raising Banquet to be held at Holiday Inn Emerald Beach on April 28. Our plans include having a very special guest as principal speaker for the occasion. More information later.

A big special Thank You to B.J. Comer and Boy Scout Troop 16 for their leadership, love and caring about people in need. B.J. and the Troop built four (4) picnic benches for Timon's.

On Feb. 21, Timon's Ministries hosted the Salvation Army Emergency Aide Coalition meeting.

God has been gracious in providing our Ministry with so many talented, hard working, volunteer workers. I feel that we are all blessed to be able to serve in this important way.

MARY HANKINS
Executive Director

March, 2001

WISH LIST

12 or 16 oz Styrofoam cups, 9" section paper plates, napkins, forks, spoons, laundry detergent, bleach, pine-sol.

DATES TO REMEMBER

March 14 - Birthday Party
April 5 - Timon's Board Meeting
April 28 - Banquet, Holiday Inn

CAPITAL CAMPAIGN FUND

Our campaign to raise funds to add a kitchen to our Day Resources Center is gaining momentum. At last accounting, we were over halfway toward meeting our initial goal of \$50,000. Although we expect to start construction within a few days, it is unlikely that we can begin cooking by April 1, the date that Metro Ministries will discontinue providing our hot food service. We are confident, however, that we will be able to find resources to provide temporary meals during the short period it should take to complete the kitchen.

Once the kitchen is completed, our Capital Campaign Fund drive will be directed toward retiring the mortgage assumed when the building was purchased earlier this year. We are continuing to explore opportunities for special Grants, as well as contributions of any size, large or small, by local supporters.